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12 December 1958

MEMORANDUM FOR: Special Assistant to the Director
for Planning and Development

THROUGH : Director of D & P, DDCI

SUBJECT : PIC/ITEK Proposals for Exploitation Equipment

1. A meeting was held 12 December with [] from ITEK and
representatives of PIC and Headquarters. Both ITEK and PIC have sub-
mitted proposals covering equipment needed for exploitation of CORONA. 25X1A

2. In addition to differences in approach there are differences
in detail as to the nature of specific items needed. []
stated that you had approved ITEK's study of this proposal through the
period 10 December. Pending the outcome of your discussions next week
this matter was left as follows: 25X1A

a. Approval was given ITEK to pursue their study in design
of specific items within the context of the PIC proposal which
are non-controversial and which PIC indicated as being best pro-
vided by ITEK.

b. An ITEK representative will discuss with PIC personnel
next week the detailed aspects of the more important controver-
sial equipment.

c. [] work will continue in the expectation that
ITEK will be covered through the period 31 December. []
estimate of the ITEK costs for this work through 31 December is
a maximum of [] 25X1A

3. The attached paper to you from [] summarizes his prin-
ciple concerns. On the presumption that ITEK will do as told, namely, 25X1A

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concentrate their efforts on those few items which PIC feels ITAK is best qualified to supply, it would appear that [redacted] concerns with clearances, scheduling and overtime will largely disappear.

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